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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application for:

Thomas Pun, et al.

Serial No.: 10/716,265

Filing Date: 11/17/2003

For: METHOD FOR  
IMPLEMENTING AN  
IMPROVED QUANTIZER IN A  
MULTIMEDIA COMPRESSION  
AND ENCODING SYSTEM

Examiner: David N Werner

Group Art Unit: 2621

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner:

Appellants petition the Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for filing the Notice of appeal. This extension will extend the time to file the Petition from the date of the issue of the Advisory Action on 1/16/2008 to 03/17/2008 (3/16/2008 being a Sunday).

A two-month extension to 03/17/2008 is requested; the extension fee is \$460.00.  
 A credit card payment form referencing docket no. APLE.P0037 is attached.

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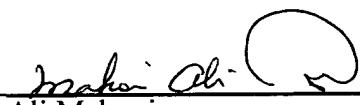
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50-3804** referencing docket no. APLE.P0037

Respectfully submitted,

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